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IDS submitted on 10/17/2007 has been noted by examiner. Furthermore, IDS that was resubmitted on 11/29/2007 has been considered as well. In light of these documents, it is the examiner's belief that the claims filed on 6/25/2007 are still in condition for allowance.


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